

MORE CLERGYMEN AFTER ANDERSON'S SCALP

TO-NIGHT'S WEATHER—Fair and cold.

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GALE AND FLOOD CAUSE BIG LOSS AND CRIPPLE TRAFFIC

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., FLOOD DRIVES 200 FROM HOMES; FOUR SHIPS ASHORE IN GALE

Overflowing of Raritan River Causes Damage Estimated at \$1,000,000.

TRAFFIC IS CRIPPLED.

Surface Cars Hampered in New York in Early Morning—Many Wires Down.

Train, elevated and surface line traffic throughout the Metropolitan District was disorganized this morning, following the heavy rain, snow and blizzard of last night. Sections of the city were flooded and at least four steamships were driven ashore on the Atlantic Coast between Florida and Delaware. Wires were down in many parts of the East. Fair and cold weather is the prediction for today and to-morrow. Three inches of snow fell early this morning.

Two hundred persons were driven from their homes in New Brunswick, N. J., by the overflowing of the Raritan River. The damage may reach \$1,000,000. The river rose almost five feet, flooding the lower business section of the city. It began receding this morning. All factories were closed. Boats were used in the streets. The New Brunswick Boat Club house was washed away and many river craft were swept into Raritan Bay.

Dennis Corcoran, seventy years old, of No. 65 Congress street, Jersey City, was killed this morning when he walked directly in front of an auto bus driven by Walter Coar, No. 63 Tuare avenue, who was towing another car disabled by the storm. Corcoran is held on a charge of manslaughter.

William Heldick, employed by the Central Railroad of New Jersey, was killed when struck by a train near the Combs alpine terminal. Hugh Flannigan was seriously injured.

A watchman's shanty was blown from the drawbridge at South Amboy and the watchman injured.

The high radio station at Sayville was put out of commission.

Opening of the Stock Exchange, Consolidated Exchange and the curb was delayed until 10:30.

The steamship Costilla, in from Nassau and anchored off Bedloe's Island, and the steamship Ametney, from Genoa, both controlled by the shipping board, were driven together by the high wind this morning and collided bow on. The damage done was slight. The ships reported stranded along the coast are the Marsodak ashore at Rehoboth Bay, Del., the Orient, aground off Ocean View Beach, near Hampton Roads, the Morristown, five miles north of Yarmouth, P. M., and the Rock Island, aground in a heavy fog off Crowlirk. All are Shipping Board vessels.

Several ships had narrow escapes from going ashore off the Long Island Coast. Six vessels were forced to.

SUNDAY WORLD
CLASSIFIED ADS.

SHOULD BE IN THE
WORLD OFFICE
EARLY TO-DAY

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PREFERENCE WHEN
SUNDAY ADS. HAVE TO
BE OMITTED : : : : :

TENANTS CHARGED FOR SUN AND AIR BY JERSEY LANDLORD

Demands \$1.50 a Month for Privilege of Hanging Wash on Pole He Doesn't Own.

It was reported to-day by Director of Revenue and Finance James F. Gannon Jr. of Jersey City, who has been making the fight for tenants, that Harry Drainow, a landlord of No. 138 Monticello Avenue, is charging his tenants for sun and air.

Drainow's tenants at No. 33 Fairview Avenue, Jersey City, according to Mr. Gannon's information, have been notified that they must each pay \$1.50 a month for hanging out their washing on a pole in the backyard. Mr. Gannon, in a letter to Drainow characterized him as the "meanest and cheapest landlord" yet. He added that if the landlord continues "this petty larceny practice, accept my assurance that your personal assessment will be what it should be instead of what it is."

And the pole doesn't belong to Drainow, but is the property of the New York Telephone Company.

EDWARDS CHARGES REPUBLICAN 'PLOT'

Declares Assembly Clique Blocks Legislation in Order to Save Jobs.

TRENTON, N. J., March 6. — Influential Republican leaders are trying to embarrass the Democratic Administration in its effort to have legislation enacted, according to a statement issued by Gov. Edwards to-day. He said these men desired to prevent him from removing the present State Public Utilities Commission, but "the scheme was so flagrant that the decent Republicans refused to be a party to it."

"Another evidence of the plan to rob the present Administration of the proper prerogatives is the effort to shift the motor vehicle department to the office of State Comptroller. There is no justification for the change except a desire on the part of the Republicans to preempt a job."

U. S. EXPORTS \$732,745,493.

America's Imports for January Reached \$475,904,053.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Department of Commerce to-day announced the total imports and exports for January were \$475,904,053 and \$732,745,493, respectively.

Both totals represent increases over January, 1919, when imports were \$212,992,644 and exports \$222,522,782.

For seven months ending January, 1920, imports were \$2,747,771,494 as compared with \$1,698,201,420 for the same period in 1919. Exports totaled \$14,698,905,742 as compared with \$9,797,413,718.

GERMANY COUNTERS WITH LONGER CRIME LIST THAN ALLIES'

Will Demand Trial of Officers and Men Accused of Mistreating War Prisoners.

BERLIN, March 6. — GERMANY'S counter lists of war criminals, consisting chiefly of Allied officers and men accused of mistreating German war prisoners, is longer than the lists of accused Germans submitted by the Allies, the Berliner National Zeitung said to-day.

The lists have just been completed, the newspaper said, and will be forwarded to the Entente with a demand that the accused former Allied soldiers be brought to trial.

TAKE WELL-ANS AFTER MEALS and see how the GOOD DIGESTION makes you feel. — Adm.

C. F. U. THREATENS "DIRECT ACTION" TO HALT RENT RAISES

Instructs 350,000 Union Workers Here to Refuse to Pay Exorbitant Rates.

CITY RELIEF DEMANDED.

Speakers Urge Breaking of All Wage Agreements Unless Profiteering Ends.

President Edward I. Hannah of the Central Federated Union announced to-day that at a stormy meeting which lasted until early this morning, the union voted to instruct its members to refuse to pay rents which they considered exorbitant. It was also decided to demand that the city authorities extend to victims of rent profiteering the same assistance as is given by the officials of Jersey City in defending without cost all persons against whom eviction actions are brought.

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THREE ATTEND VANDERBILT.

Physician Insists General's Condition Need Cause No Worry.

Dr. Samuel W. Lambert of No. 120 East 25th Street and Dr. Austin Flint of No. 39 East 55th Street were summoned to the Vanderbilt home at No. 640 Fifth Avenue yesterday to see Brig. Gen. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who is ill with influenza.

Neither Dr. Lambert nor Dr. Flint would discuss the condition of their patient, referring all inquiries to Dr. Samuel A. Brown of No. 125 West 58th Street. Dr. Brown stated positively that there was no need whatever to worry about him.

Nominal Fine Proposed for Dr. Helfferich.

BERLIN, March 6.—The chief state attorney has proposed a fine of 200 marks for Dr. Karl Helfferich, in the libel suit brought by Matthias Erzberger, suspended Minister of Finance. The nominal sum proposed is considered a victory for Helfferich and virtual substantiation of his charges that Erzberger used his government posts for private gain.

BASEBALL PLAYER DEMANDS PROOF HE GAMBLLED ON GAME

Lee Magee, "Blacklisted" by Big League, Starts Suit to Clear His Name.

WORLD SERIES SCANDAL.

Since Reds Beat Sox for Title Ugly Rumors Have Been in Circulation.

By Hugh S. Fullerton.

Lee Magee of the Chicago National League baseball team has called Organized Baseball and demanded a show down.

Magee in a telegram to The Evening World claims he has evidence that he has been blacklisted by the ball clubs of the National and American league without cause, and that he will force the issue and compel organized baseball either to prove their charges against him, which he claims to have evidence have been made, and insists upon his right to play in the major leagues.

The action of Magee opens the entire field of investigation of the scandals and whispers of the past fall and winter and unless the major leagues back down under his threat of legal proceedings may compel the exposure of the secret scandals.

For the last six months I have been hammering away striving to force the powers of organized baseball to make a full and complete investigation of the stories that have been circulated. They have promised, have declared that they would go to the bottom of the scandals. So far as I can learn only Comiskey, owner of the Cubs, has made a serious effort to do so.

SILENCERS EVIDENTLY PUT ON EVERYBODY.

I have been trying to persuade some of the players whose names have been used in connection with the scandals of last year, the year before and the last world's series to force the leagues either to clear their names or prefer formal charges. To most of these I have secured no even an answer.

For weeks it has been evident that the policy of the Big League is to maintain silence. In the face of the report that Lee Magee and two others have been dropped out of organized baseball the owners and officials of the National League have refused to comment or to make any charges against any one.

I have been informed that in some cases the club owners have offered players contracts at cut figures in order to get them to refuse to sign and then have filed away their refusals, probably for use in case the players should charge that they were being blacklisted out of the game.

The Magee case came out of a clear sky. There were charges and rumors about Magee when he was dropped from the Cincinnati club. Those were repeated and caused him to have a hard time with the Brooklyn club, which sold him to Chicago.

Whatever the cause of dropping him from the Cincinnati club the charges were not pressed, and the fact that both Brooklyn and Chicago accepted his services seemed to indicate that he may have been indicted, but that they did not consider him guilty.

During the winter meetings of the

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SUNDAY WORLD'S PRICE UNCHANGED

The raise in price of the Sunday American to 10 cents has resulted in some confusion in the public mind as to whether this increase in price is general among New York Sunday papers. The World, therefore, wishes to make it clear to its readers that it sees no necessity for increasing its price. It continues to charge the newsdealers exactly what it has hitherto been charging them. The World making no additional profits out of its sale.

MARY PICKFORD SAYS SHE'LL NEVER MARRY AGAIN



Wanted to Be Free, She Declares, Though Husband Was Such a "Charming Man."

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—Mary Pickford will never marry again, but will devote the remainder of her life to motion pictures, according to an interview she gave here to-day. This was the first statement she had made to the press since she was granted a divorce from Owen Moore, Tuesday, at Minden, Nev.

"I sought a divorce because I wanted to be free," Miss Pickford said. "Mr. Moore is a charming man and most genial—but there are many instances where even two genial persons cannot agree."

It was said to-day that Mary Pickford was to be married to Douglas Fairbanks soon. Moses L. Malovsky of O'Brien, Malovsky & Driscoll, No. 1432 Broadway, who are Miss Pickford's attorneys in the East, said he did not think it likely.

Masked Girl Sophs Seize, Bind Co-Ed

N. Y. U. Student Kidnapped and Held Prisoner for Eighteen Hours.

It became known to-day that girl sophomores in Washington Square College of New York University late Thursday afternoon gagged and blindfolded Elsie Kanowitz, a freshman, bundled her into a taxicab, drove her to a boarding house and kept her there in a bathrobe eighteen hours a prisoner. She was released yesterday after her mother, Mrs. I. Kanowitz of No. 754 West 180th Street, had appealed in vain to the university authorities to rescue her.

The rule of freshman "co-ed" conduct which Miss Kanowitz is charged with violating is:

"Thou shalt not converse with members of the male sex in the corridors, halls or classrooms."

The captors of Miss Kanowitz stuffed handkerchiefs into her mouth and wound bandages around her eyes. Then she was tied hand and foot and taken away in a taxi.

After a long journey Miss Kanowitz found herself in a small hall bedroom amid strange surroundings. Her captors, who wore masks, removed her blindfold and gag, undressed her and clad her in a bathrobe, then hid her clothes.

SMITH WILL ASK NEW INDICTMENTS FOR POLICE GRAFT

Says There Are 3,500 Disorderly Flats in City Instead of 500.

HENRY'S MEN SHIFTED.

Swann Assistant Declares Reform Societies Can Give Names of Resorts.

Following a sarcastic letter from Police Commissioner Enright, asking for data in the possession of Assistant District Attorney James E. Smith which would aid the police in suppressing disorderly houses and flats, Smith to-day let it be known that the information sought by Enright and for which Mayor Hylan has also asked, would be furnished by the Parkhurst Society, the Rockefeller Foundation and the Committee of 14, which have been co-operating with Smith.

The list of addresses in the possession of the societies, it was stated, ran up to 3,500 and was not limited to the 500 of which Smith's first statement told.

Smith announced to-day he would apply to Judge Malone for an increase from \$5,000 to \$15,000 in the bail of Kitty Daly and Jennie Carello, now in the House of Detention on the ground that certain persons would gladly furnish bail in \$5,000 to get the women out of the jurisdiction. He also announced he would go before the Grand Jury next Tuesday to ask for new indictments for police extortion and bribery.

Two transfers out of the Fourth Inspection District lend support to the rumor of a threatened police shakeup. This is Inspector Henry's district, where the Assistant District Attorney charges, graft has been carried on. Lieut. Patrick Gunn, known as "Inspector Henry's Lieutenant," was shifted on Wednesday to the Sixth Inspection District in Harlem, and on Thursday John McLaughlin, reputed to be one of the best detectives on Henry's staff, was switched to the East 22d Street Station.

Police Commissioner Enright wrote to the District Attorney in regard to the 500 disorderly flats:

"Will you please let me have the location of any of those flats in order that they may be immediately suppressed? We will be very glad to co-operate with you in all these matters, and it is safe to assume that your office will see that there is no lack of publicity."

SEEK FUND TO END CARS ON BROADWAY

Association Decides on \$25,000 Campaign to Remove Tracks From Thoroughfare for New System.

The Board of Directors of the Broadway Association has decided to raise a fund of \$25,000 for a campaign to bring about the removal of the surface car tracks from Broadway and the substitution of motor buses or some other efficient means of transportation.

Judge Nash Rockwood has been employed as special counsel.

"HOME RULE BILL DOOMED."

London Daily News Says Aquith Will Move Rejection.

LONDON, March 6.—Under the headline "Home Rule Bill Doomed," the Daily News parliamentary correspondent said to-day he understood that H. H. Asquith would move an amendment for rejection of Prime Minister Lloyd George's new plan for home rule in Ireland when the bill is brought up for second reading March 23.

The correspondent said this would be the opening fight between Asquith, who has assumed leadership of the Liberals in the House of Commons since his recent election from the Paisley district, and the Prime Minister.

MORE CLERGYMEN DESERT ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE IN FAVOR OF STATE INQUIRY

Will Testify That Main Object of Anderson Body Was to Provide High Salaries in Future for Professional Prohibition Workers.

ALBANY, March 6.—The Assembly Judiciary Committee is ready to set in motion the machinery for the investigation of the activities of William H. Anderson, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, and promises to have the decks cleared for action as soon as the report on the five Socialists is out of the way.

Seven ministers, two of whom are Directors in the League are ready to testify against the former boss of the Republican Party in the State, according to Assemblyman Louis A. Cuvillier, upon whose resolution the investigation was ordered. Some of the ministers have already been in conference with the Judiciary Committee and letters have been received from others expressing the willingness of the writers to throw the light of publicity on the inner workings of the League.

The date for inquiry into the Anti-Saloon League will be announced early next week. The issuing of subpoenas will begin Wednesday or Thursday. Speaker Sweet may be called. While Sweet has been regarded as a "dry," he has been assailed by the league and has had experience with their campaign methods. Seven members, a majority, of the Assembly Judiciary Committee, are reported in favor of investigating the entire workings of the league.

DELAWARE TO PASS ON SUFFRAGE SOON

Governor Calls Special Session of the Legislature to Meet on March 22.

DOVER, Del., March 6.—A special session of the Delaware Legislature was called for March 22 by Governor Townsend to-day to act on the woman suffrage amendment.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE DIRECTORS LOSE

Special Master Rules They Have No Power to Interfere in Affairs of Publishing Society.

BOSTON, March 6.—The trustees of the Christian Science Publishing Society to-day won their suit against the Christian Science Board of Directors to restrain the directors from interfering with the society. At the same time, John V. Dittmore won his suit for reinstatement as a member of the board of directors.

John Frederick Dodge, an special master, found that the directors had no legal right to remove Lamont Rowlands from the board of trustees and that the charges against him were not sufficient in law nor made in good faith. The suit involved interpretation of two deeds of trust made by Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the church.

TAKE 4 IN BOMBING OF U. S. CONSULATE

Switzerland Spreads Net for Suspicious Characters Following Zurich Explosion.

BERNE, Switzerland, March 6.—Four men have been arrested at the frontier station of Buchs by the police, who have spread a dragnet for suspicious characters since the American Consulate at Zurich was damaged by a bomb on Wednesday night. They were attempting to cross the border into Austria when arrested, and are being returned to Zurich.

A Federal commissioner will be appointed to investigate the attempt to wreck the consulate, as the explosives were carried there in contravention of the law.

U. S. Shipping Board to Move Its Operating Division Here.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Shipping Board's division of operations will be moved to New York about April 1, Chairman Payne announced to-day. The board desired to have the division headquarters at the place where its principal business is handled.

WORLD RESTAURANT.
Special for to-day, Saturday, Mar. 6, 1920:
Roast Virginia Ham and Fried Chicken Potatoes.
\$2.00; Corned Beef and Cabbage, \$1.00; Table D'Hotel Dinner, 45c. 14th Street, World Building.
—L.H.S.

DRY BOSS ASSAILS CATHOLICS AS FOES OF LAW AND ORDER.

Anderson Appeals to Religious Prejudices in Effort to Block League Inquiry.

William H. Anderson, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, attacks the Catholic Church as a foe of Prohibition in a letter to the Protestant clergy made public to-day and designed to start a backfire upon the proposed investigation of the league.